



GENERAL SERVICES ADMINISTRATION
WASHINGTON

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OFFICE OF THE ADMINISTRATOR

Honorable Allen W. Dulles
Director, Central Intelligence Agency
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Director:

Pursuant to the provisions of the Federal Property and Administrative Services Act of 1949, as amended, there are attached for your review copies of proposed revision of section 403.00, Chapter VI, Title 1, Personal Property Management, Regulations of the General Services Administration.

The principal change in the section is the provision that materiel which has been once inspected and determined to be in compliance with specifications and technical contract requirements (quality inspection) shall not be reinspected by the same or another agency for that purpose in connection with the acceptance of materiel; reinspection for quality by the consignee at destination is prohibited where the materiel has been inspected at origin for that purpose.

It is provided in section 205 of the Act that the Administrator of General Services, in effectuating his functions thereunder, shall consult with interested Federal agencies with a view to obtaining their advice and assistance. Your review of the document and advice of concurrence or recommendations for changes or improvements therein will be appreciated. This revision is to be effective as soon as possible. Accordingly, I would like to receive your reply by the close of business July 15, 1953.

Information concerning the proposed document may be obtained by communicating with Mr. C. C. Crossland, Standards Division, Federal Supply Service, General Services Administration, Room 204, Alcott Hall, Washington 25, D. C.; telephone: Republic 7-7500 (Government Dial Code 151), extension 8831.

Sincerely yours,

EDMUND F. MANSURE
Administrator

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